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TAGS: INTELSAT, OGON, PFOR, CH, TW, PK

SUBJECT: INTELSAT CHINA

REF: NAIROBI 10531

1. OUR PRIMARY INTEREST IN RESPECT TO INTELSAT REMAINS
THE ROC'S CONTINUED COMMERCIAL ACCESS TO THE SYSTEM. U.S.
DELEGATION SHOULD NOT GO BEYOND STEPS ALREADY UNDERTAKEN
ON CHIREP, EXCEPT WITH REGARD TO ACCESS, SHOULD THIS ISSUE
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2. WHILE BOTH RESOLUTIONS CITED REFTEL ARE OBJECTIONABLE, NEITHER PER SE TOUCHES ON ACCESS. OBVIOUSLY, THE MORE MODERATE ONE IS PREFERABLE AND USDEL SHOULD CONTINUE TO MAKE THIS VIEW KNOWN. HOWEVER, IT SHOULD NOT ACTIVELY LOBBY ON BEHALF OF MODERATE TEXT DESCRIBED PARA 3 REFTEL.

3. IN EVENT HARD-LINE RESOLUTION DESCRIBED PARA 1 REFTEL IS BROUGHT TO A VOTE, USDEL SHOULD VOTE AGAINST IT ON GROUNDS THAT A) IT IS UNNECESSARY IN LIGHT OF ROC'S

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL AND B) NO RESOLUTION IS REQUIRED FOR PRC ACCESS TO MEMBERSHIP. IN EVENT MORE MODERATE RESOLUTION IS BROUGHT TO VOTE, USDEL SHOULD ABSTAIN, EXPLAINING THAT WHILE U.S. WELCOMES PRC ACCESSION, NO RESOLUTION IS REQUIRED TO ACCOMPLISH THIS. SHOULD MORE MODERATE LANGUAGE BE MOVED IN CONSENSUS FORM, U.S. SHOULD ACQUIESCE IN SUCH APPROACH. ROBINSON

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